

Lee, Alexander H. Stephens, Abraham Lincoln, and other national and world figures of the time.

Site secured by
commission.

SEC. 4. That when the said commission shall have selected a site and secured an acre of land therefor owned by the State of North Carolina, the same shall be tendered to the United States Government provided the Federal Government shall appropriate a sum not less than fifty thousand dollars for the purpose of erecting a memorial building, beautifying the grounds and maintaining the same. In the event of the acceptance of the same by the United States, the Secretary of State is hereby authorized to convey the said land to the Federal Government by proper deed.

Tender to federal
government.
Condition of
tender.

Conveyance of land
if tender accepted.

Commission to
report to next
session of general
assembly.

SEC. 5. That the commission herein provided for shall make a report to the next session of the General Assembly.

SEC. 6. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

Ratified this the 9th day of March, A. D. 1927.

CHAPTER 263

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER 120, PUBLIC LAWS, EXTRA SESSION, 1924, SO AS TO INCLUDE COLUMBUS COUNTY.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Act amended.

SECTION 1. That section one of chapter one hundred twenty, Public Laws, extra session, one thousand nine hundred twenty-four, be amended by striking out the word "Columbus" at the beginning of line twenty-three.

"Columbus"
stricken out.

SEC. 2. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

Ratified this the 7th day of March, A. D. 1927.

CHAPTER 264

AN ACT FOR RESTORING AND CONSERVING THE FISH AND SHELLFISH INDUSTRY IN THE WATERS OF ALBEMARLE, PAMLICO, CROATAN AND ROANOKE SOUNDS, AND THE CONSTRUCTION OF A HIGHWAY TO ROANOKE ISLAND.

Preamble: recog-
nition of decrease
in shad and other
migratory fish.

Territory available
for growth of
shell-fish needed.

Whereas, it is recognized that the closing of inlets in Albemarle and Pamlico Sounds has greatly decreased the number of shad, rock herring and other migratory fish that come into these waters, and has so freshened the waters in these sounds that the territory available for the growth of oysters, clams, and other shellfish is greatly reduced and the supply of these